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DELIVERY DIFFICULTIES HAMPER CEMENT PRODUCTION

The plant receives gypsum, used in making cement, from the vicinity of Brasov by railroad. The average daily consumption of the plant is 25 to 30 cars a day. Because of poor planning by the railroad, there were always 200 cars on the plant siding, waiting to be unloaded. Since the plant does not have sufficient storage space, it was impossible to unload these cars, and the plant was forced to pay the railroad 1,200,000 lei for not unloading the cars on schedule. This sum made the cost price of cement much higher than it should have been. The railroad is one of the largest consumers of cement; so it, in turn, showed a greater expense for material than would have been necessary with the proper planning of car deliveries.

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